PROCUREMENT MANAGEMENT STAFF, OL WEEKLY REPORT Week Ending 31 May 1988

1. Status of Tasks Assigned by Senior Management:

Centel Business Systems Protest:

The conference scheduled for 26 May at General Accounting Office (GAO), in response to Centel Business Information Systems, Inc. bid protest, was cancelled after a discussion between GAO and Centel. The original meeting was requested and scheduled for 10 May by Centel and rescheduled for 26 May, and may not be rescheduled, according to GAO. GAO has directed us to provide Centel with limited addition documentation; i.e., the Source Selection Authority/contracting officer decision memorandum of 19 February and three pages of the factory test

demonstration (FTD). 25X1 25X1

> A complete package of the working materials and evaluation of the solicitation proposals will be provided to GAO this week at their request. The package is intended for GAO use only.

OL Visitation:

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Chief, Procurement Management Staff (PMS), OL, is tentatively scheduled to meet with the Chief Office of Scientific and Weapons Research, DI, on either 9 or 10 June. OL/PMS is awaiting date confirmation from DI/OSWR.

Major Events That Have Occurred During the Preceding Week:

CONIF Activity: a.

(1) CONIF	input 183	contracts	and 112	amendments	into	its
system during	this repor	cting perio	od.			

(2)	On	25	May,									, met	
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General	Pro	cur	emen	t (C	CASB/	GP),	ACG	, ar	ıd o	thers	s to	discus	s the
possibil	lity	, of	add	ing	the	arch	ive	job	num	ber,	box	number	and

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folder number to the CONIF contract record prior to its retirement from the CONIF system. The availability of this

25X1 25X1 25X1	information would help GP/CASB tremendously in their daily attempts to locate archived folders being brought back for research purposes or problem solving. Consideration was given to the time and effort required for such a modification, and the recommendation from the Technical Group, Data Administration Service (TG/DAS/IMSS), OL, was to create a small NOMAD application instead.
25X1	(3) The Center move took place over the memorial Day weekend as scheduled. The CONIF test team came in on Monday, 30 May, to test the application of the system and everything seemed to be in working condition. On the morning of 31 May, CONIF did experience some minor problems due to system
25 X 1	instability; however, it is expected that these "inconveniences" will be resolved as quickly as possible.
	c. Automation Activities
25X1	(1) OL/PMS, met with Office of Research and Development (ORD), DS&T, on 23 May to discuss the expert system project for Acquisition Planning. The request for proposal (RFP) will be ready to issue in June. A
	Memorandum of Understanding between DS&T/ORD and the Director of
25 X 1	Logistics (D/L) is ready for final management review. OL/PMS is developing a requirements statement to DS&T/ORD from D/L.
25 X 1	(2) OL/PMS, met with Office of Special Projects, DS&T, on 25 May to discuss the draft
25 X 1	Acquisition Planning Guide. will meeet again on 6 June to continue their discussion on the
25 X 1	program office's involvement in developing the Guide.
25X1	(3) On 26 May, met with DS&T/ORD
25X1	and two of his officers and with Office of Information Technology, DA, for comments on the final DRAFT of the Contract Team Automation Working Group report. The report
25X1	should be ready for finalization by mid-June 1988.
25 X 1	(4) OL/PMS, authored a User's Manual for the Agency Contract Review Board database on LOTUS 1.2.3., which
25X1	also developed. The Manual will be a great asset
25 X 1	to OL/PMS in the preparation of the ACRB statistics.

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	d. Procurement Note 194, Quick Closeout Procedures:
25 X 1	OL/PMS has prepared Procurement Note 194, Quick
25 X 1	Closeout Procedures, for final review before issuance.
	e. <u>OL/PMS Daily Activities</u> :
25 X 1	(1) represented the Office of Logistics at the Industrial Review Panel meeting on 26 May. Approximately eight
25X1	cases were reviewed for disposition.
25 X 1 25 X 1	(2) reviewed the Nexis Lexis proposed contract with the Mead Data Central Corporation for OL/PMS.
25X1 25X1 25X1	(3) returned from annual leave on 31 May; will be on annual leave until 3 June. will be in training from 6-10 June.
25X1	(4) will be on annual leave from 1-10 June.
	f. <u>Training Activities</u>
25X1 25X1 25X1	(1) On 26 May, OL/PMS sponsored a skills workshop on the Freedom of Information Act. Chief, Information Services Division and office of General Counsel were the keynote speakers. emphasized those topical areas relating to procurement
25X1	activities. The concensus of opinion was that the presentation was an excellent one pertaining to an important area of law.
25X1	(3) has completed his preparation of material for the "Ethics in Government: workshop being presented by OL/PMS on 6 June. Ten persons have signed up for the workshop
25 X 1	to-date.
25X1 25X1	(4) were attendees at the 31 May running of "Managing Work Under Pressure."
25X1	(5) will complete the Contract Process Course on 3 June.
	3. Upcoming Events:
25 X 1	OL/PMS will keep management apprised of any significant upcoming events.
	4. Management Activities and Concerns:
25 X 1	OL/PMS will continue to keep management apprised of any significant activities or concerns as they arise.